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Recently, all Latin American Communist Parties became affiliated with the Cominform Bureau now located at Bucharest, Rumania. The step was taken because of the possible prohibition of Communist Parties in Latin American countries. The Cominform desires that the activities of these various parties be continued underground where they have been declared illegal, or where the possibility exists that they will be declared illegal.)

1. P. Buring his trip to Europe in the late summer, Flavio Bravo, leader of the Juventud Socialista (JS-Socialist Youth) of the Partido Socialista Popular (PSP-Cuban Communist Party) received instructions from the Cominform as a result of which a systematic plan for futute activities of the PSP in Cuba 25X1A2q would be instituted (Comment. Other South American countries were also to be the beneficiaries of this information.)

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- The Cominform activities in Cuba and the rest of Latin America were to be conducted separately and apart from the various Soviet Legations in Latin Comment. This was recommended because of the American countries. (25X1X6 possibility that the Soviet Legations in Cuba and other Latin American countries might have to be abandoned.)
 - 3. Among the instructions Bravo received was one stating that groups affiliated with the PSP were to merge into one powerful opposition party which was to be managed by representatives of the Cominform, but was not to have Communist characteristics. The party was to unite all elements opposing the Autentico group (including the former and present administration party in Cuba) and 25 X tiX 6 mperialistic groups. An attempt was made to obtain the assistance of former President Fulgencio Batista, now a member of the Cuban Senate. Comment. Bravo spent considerable time with Hungarian Communist leaders and brought back with him a considerable amount of material written in Hungarian which dealt almost exclusively with Soviet affairs. Bravo, in his present work, is using the material he received in Hungary for guidance. It contains valuable information concerning Soviet activities in Hungary, and it is to be used so that Bravo may duplicate in Cuba Communist practices which were successful in Hungary.)

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- 4. Bravo was instructed specifically to establish an organization molded after the "Komsomol" in the USSR. The youth of Cuba are to be organized in this group in order to:
 - a. Infiltrate Communists into significant movements in Cuba.
 - b. Have a fighting group of young revolutionists.
 - c. Create a reserve which can be used for militant Communist fighting brigades.

To accomplish this, the following steps are being taken (

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- a. Establishment of action committees in each community all over the island of Cuba. (Comment. Brave has been devoting considerable time to the organization of these action committees throughout the island.)
- b. Study circles are being organized for younger students to learn the principles of Marxism.
- c. Young PSP workers will be organized into "Help Brigades" to visit rural areas.
- d. Farm youth will receive special attention from the Communist workers, and they will be organized into non-Communist sport clubs.

5. The organization of these activities will be centered in the offices of the JS publication Mella, under the personal leadership of Flavio Bravo.

Comment. This publication is to undergo reorganization and expansion of its activities.)